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AMENDMENT

In re Patent Application of:

Examiner: GOFF II, John L.

Toru Mizutani et al.

Group Art Unit: 1791

Application No. 10/727,674

Confirmation No.: 8467

Filed: December 4, 2003

Customer No.: 26263

For: GEL ELECTROLYTE BATTERY

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Additional claim fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS		MINUS		-0-	() X 25.00 () X 50.00	0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS		MINUS		-0-	() X 100.00 () X 200.00	0.00
Application amended to contain any multiple dependent claims not previously paid for.				() YES (X) NO	() \$180.00 () \$360.00 ONE TIME	
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$ 0.00	

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 - ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to account No. 19-3140. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.
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DATE: March 18, 2008

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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the non-final Office Action mailed December 18, 2007. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims in view of the amendment and remarks below.